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In re Application of:)	
Craig C. Hansen et al.)	Attn:
Serial No.: 09/017,224)	APPLICATIONS BRANCH
Filed: February 2, 1998)	
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RESPONSE TO NOTICES TO FILE MISSING PARTS
OF APPLICATION AND CORRECTED APPLICATION
PAPERS -- FILING DATE GRANTED

Hon. Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

In response to the NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF
APPLICATION -- FILING DATE GRANTED and NOTICE TO FILE CORRECTED
APPLICATION PAPERS both dated April 15, 1998 (copies attached),
enclosed are:

A. Combined Declaration/Power of Attorney executed

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01 FC:105 130.00.CH the inventors, Craig C. Hansen and Timothy B. Robinson.

Recordation Form Cover Sheet (PTO-1595) submitting
an Assignment executed by the inventors, Craig C. Hansen and
Timothy B. Robinson along with an Assignment Recordal Fee of
\$40.00.

C. Payment of the Surcharge set forth in 37 C.F.R.
§ 1.16(e) in the amount of \$130.00.

D. A substitute specification in compliance with 37 CFR § 1.52, the pages of which are now consecutively numbered starting with the number "1".

Please charge the amount of \$170.00 to cover the above-mentioned fees to Deposit Account No. 13-0203. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 13-0203. A duplicate copy of this Response is enclosed for accounting purposes.

Applicants believe that no extension of time is required. However, this conditional petition is being made to provide for the possibility that Applicants have inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition for extension of time.

Respectfully submitted,
MCDERMOTT, WILL & EMERY

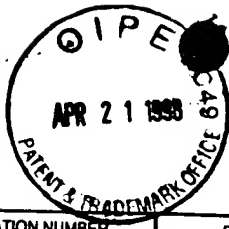
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DATE MAILED:

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NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF APPLICATION

Filing Date Granted

An Application Number and Filing Date have been assigned to this application. However, the items indicated below are missing. The required items and fees identified below must be timely submitted ALONG WITH THE PAYMENT OF A SURCHARGE for items 1 and 3-6 only of \$ 130.00 for a ☒ large entity ☐ small entity in compliance with 37 CFR 1.27. The surcharge is set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e). Applicant is given TWO MONTHS FROM THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE within which to file all required items and pay any fees required above to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

If all required items on this form are filed within the period set above, the total amount owed by applicant as a ☒ large entity ☐ small entity (verified statement filed), is \$ 130.00.

- ☐ 1. The statutory basic filing fee is:
- ☐ missing.
 - ☐ insufficient.

Applicant must submit \$ _____ to complete the basic filing fee and/or file a verified small entity statement claiming such status (37 CFR 1.27).

- ☐ 2. Additional claim fees of \$ _____, including any multiple dependent claim fees, are required. Applicant must either submit the additional claim fees or cancel additional claims for which fees are due.

- ☒ 3. The oath or declaration:

- ☒ is missing.
- ☐ does not cover the newly submitted items.
- ☐ does not identify the application to which it applies.
- ☐ does not include the city and state or foreign country of applicant's residence.

An oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, including residence information and identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date is required.

- ☐ 4. The signature(s) to the oath or declaration is/are:

- ☐ missing.
- ☐ by a person other than inventor or person qualified under 37 CFR 1.42, 1.43, or 1.47.

A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.

- ☐ 5. The signature of the following joint inventor(s) is missing from the oath or declaration:

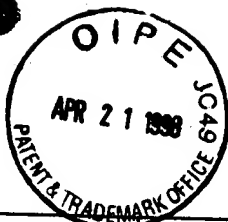
An oath or declaration listing the names of all inventors and signed by the omitted inventor(s), identifying this application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.

- ☐ 6. A \$ _____ processing fee is required since your check was returned without payment (37 CFR 1.21(m)).
- ☐ 7. Your filing receipt was mailed in error because your check was returned without payment.
- ☐ 8. The application does not comply with the Sequence Rules.
See attached "Notice to Comply with Sequence Rules 37 CFR 1.821-1.825."
- ☐ 9. OTHER:

Direct the response and any questions about this notice to "Attention: Box Missing Parts."

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NOTICE TO FILE CORRECTED APPLICATION PAPERS
Filing Date Granted

This application has been accorded an Application Number and Filing Date. The application, however, is informal since it does not comply with the regulations for the reason(s) indicated below. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS FROM THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE within which to correct the informalities indicated below.

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

- ☐ 1. An Abstract, commencing on a separate sheet (37 CFR 1.72(b)).
- ☐ 2. The Claim(s) commencing on a separate sheet (37 CFR 1.75(h)).
- ☒ 3. A substitute specification in compliance with 37 CFR 1.52 because:
 - ☐ All sheets must be the same size and either A4 (21 cm x 29.7 cm) or 8-1/2" x 11".
 - ☐ Papers are not flexible, strong, smooth, non-shiny, durable, and white.
 - ☐ Papers are not typewritten or mechanically printed in permanent dark ink on one side.
 - ☐ Papers contain hand lettering.
 - ☐ Papers contain improper margins. Each sheet must have a left margin of at least 2.5 cm (1") and top, bottom and right margins of at least 2.0 cm (3/4").
 - ☐ Line spacing on the sheets is not 1-1/2 or double-spaced.
 - ☒ The pages of specification including the abstract and claims are not consecutively numbered starting with the number "1."
 - ☐ The pages of specification do not contain page numbers centrally located within the top or, preferably, bottom margin.
- ☐ 4. Substitute drawings in compliance with 37 CFR 1.84 because:
 - ☐ The drawings or copy of drawings are not suitable for electronic reproduction.
 - ☐ All drawing sheets must be the same size and either A4 (21cm x 29.7 cm) or 8-1/2" x 11".
 - ☐ Each sheet must include a top and left margin of at least 2.5 cm (1"), a right margin of at least 1.5 cm (9/16") and a bottom margin of at least 1.0 cm (3/8").
- ☐ 5. Page(s) _____ are not of sufficient clarity, contrast and quality for electronic reproduction. New typewritten or mechanically printed pages of sufficient clarity, contrast and quality for electronic reproduction, together with a statement that the new pages contain the same material as those on deposit are required.
- ☐ 6. A new oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63 setting forth the residence (city and state or foreign country) of each applicant (or legal representative under 37 CFR 1.42 or 1.43 of each applicant).
- ☐ 7. An English translation of the non-English language application, the \$130.00 fee set forth in 37 CFR 1.17(k), unless previously submitted, and a statement that the translation is accurate (37 CFR 1.52(d)).
- ☐ 8. OTHER: _____

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